

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	1:16-CV-00425-TDS-JEP
	)	
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA;	)	
PATRICK MCCRORY, in his official	)	
capacity as Governor of North Carolina;	)	
NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT	)	
OF PUBLIC SAFETY; UNIVERSITY	)	
OF NORTH CAROLINA; and BOARD	)	
OF GOVERNORS OF THE	)	
UNIVERSITY OF	)	
NORTH CAROLINA,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

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**MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL**

Corey L. Stoughton, one of the counsel for the United States of America, respectfully moves that this Court enter its Order permitting her to withdraw from representation in this matter because she will be leaving the Department of Justice effective January 20, 2017. The United States will continue to be represented by counsel of record.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on January 19, 2017, I electronically filed the foregoing Motion to attorneys for all parties to 1:16-cv-00425-TDS-JEP using the CM/ECF system and have verified that such filing was sent electronically using CM/ECF.

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